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### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

CHARLESTON, IL --Dr. James Giffin, a faculty member at Eastern Illinois University since 1947, has been named "Professor of the Year" by the School of Business.

Giffin was Dean of the School for 15 years before returning to the classroom in 1974.

Dr. Ted Ivarie, current Dean of the School said Giffin's "record of 34 years of service to the students of Eastern Illinois University is difficult to match in terms of length, quality, and quantity."

Ivarie said "Dr. Giffin has established an enviable reputation as a ready, willing and empathetic advisor... and he has given himself totally in service to Eastern, to his profession, and to the community."

Giffin received a bachelor's degree from Eastern in 1946. He holds a master's degree from Indiana University and the doctorate from Northwestern University.